

At which rural free delivery is shown by the fact that Postmaster General Payne will ask at its next session to appropriate the sum of \$12,000,000 for its maintenance and extension. For the year 1901 the appropriation amounted to but \$1,750,000. In the next year those figures were more than doubled. For the present year the postal officials have available for this purpose the sum of \$7,500,000. It is estimated that there will be a deficit of about \$300,000. By July 1, 1903, there will be 14,000 rural routes in operation.

#### EL PASO DAY.

It has been suggested by several prominent people of this city that it would undoubtedly be a popular thing if the management of the territorial fair at Albuquerque, N. M., next month will have an El Paso day.

People here who would like to see something of this kind done say that they are sure that El Paso would appreciate it by a large attendance and that would be but a slight return for the large patronage from that city to the carnival at this place.—El Paso Herald.

The Citizen suggests Wednesday, Oct. 15, as El Paso day at the territorial fair, and that all those attending the fair from that city wear appropriate badges advertising the resources of the Pass City. A program of exercises appropriate to the occasion should be arranged by a committee representing El Paso and the fair association. In return Albuquerque will ask for a day during the El Paso mid-winter carnival.

#### LAST GRAND REVIEW.

The president is to review the grand parade of the veterans in Washington next month, and is urging the citizens to do all that is possible in preparation for the encampment. It will be the last time, for most of the old soldiers, that they will have been permitted to visit the national capital, and the event will therefore have not only the character of a farewell jubilee but also its melancholy side. However, they can not complain; it seems wonderful that so many who participated in the historic review at the close of the war in 1865 should have survived till 1902, quite a number of them in such strong and hearty condition that they bid fair to last a further long time.

#### AFRICAN TRADE.

The importance of Africa as a field for the producers and manufacturers of the United States is illustrated by some figures just received by the treasury bureau of statistics showing the commerce of the United Kingdom with Africa. The exports from the United States to Africa have grown to \$33,000,000 in the fiscal year 1902, but a comparison of these figures with those of the exports from the United Kingdom to that continent shows that our exports to Africa still form a very small proportion of the importations of the Dark Continent. The total exports from the United Kingdom to Africa, according to figures received by the bureau of statistics, were in 1901 \$167,000,000, or practically five times as much as the exports from the United States to Africa. While the growth of exports from the United Kingdom to Africa has not been so rapid as in the case of the United States it has been steady and persistent. In 1897 the total exports from the United Kingdom to Africa amounted to \$120,000,000; in 1900, \$134,000,000; and in 1901, \$157,000,000.

#### TERRITORIAL ILLITERACY.

The Washington Post of recent date publishes a statistical report of illiteracy in the various states and territories as culled from the last census. The report shows that New Mexico, during the last ten years has risen in the scale. In 1890 the percentage able to read and write was 72.04; in 1900 it was 89.07. Only eight states and territories showed 20 per cent or more of illiterates. Among the number is Arizona. In two Arizona and Nevada alone, there was an increase of illiteracy, but the article says that the two exceptions are more apparent than real. When the figures for Arizona and Nevada are probed a curious statistical anomaly appears. The percentage of illiteracy among children slightly increased for all classes combined and yet decreased for every numerous race or native class, namely, the native white, the foreign-born white, and the Indian and Mongolian. This paradox is explained by the fact that the Indian and Mongolian children are very generally illiterate, and that those enumerated in Arizona and Nevada in 1900 were a much larger percentage of the total children than they were in 1890, when Indians on reservations were not reported with distinction of age or literacy. On the whole, therefore, the educational system of every state and territory, except Indian Territory, for which no figures were obtained in 1890, has shown marked improvement in the last ten years.

#### ONLY ONE AGAINST.

The El Paso News says: The only newspaper in New Mexico now opposed to statehood is the Eagle of White Oaks. The fact that capital is being invested in Lincoln county mines, forests and railway enterprises under a territorial form of govern-

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ment, seems to convince the Eagle that statehood is unnecessary. But the White Oaks Journal should not be willing to merely have the prosperity that comes despite territorial government. The people of no commonwealth in America are satisfied to accept government from a national capital, at the hands of congressmen from outside states.

#### THE POST CANTEN.

General Funston in an official report draws a striking picture of the demoralization of soldiers in barracks caused by the presence just outside the military reservations of vicious resorts. He says the number of cases of court martial has doubled since the post cantens were abolished, and that besides many private soldiers who have been drawn into degradation various officers have been ruined. It looks as if something else besides the discontinuance of the post canten would be necessary, and that is some kind of a law by which the resorts responsible for the evil can be closed up. The strong and overwhelming vote of congress which closed the cantens is surely strong enough also to wipe out the villainous dives which fringe the military reservations. Any such effort would have behind it the general sentiment of the country.

#### LADIES OF THE MACCABEES.

October 1 will be a red letter day to the supreme hive, Ladies of the Maccabees, which is a social auxiliary to the supreme tent, Knights of the Maccabees. While only an infant in point of years, the supreme hive is a giant in numerical strength. It has a membership of 105,000, with 2,215 hives organized in forty-nine states, territories and provinces. It spreads the protection folds from Nova Scotia to Alaska, and from the gulf to the straits. Go where you will, you will see the home protection colors—the black, red and white—over the altar fires of over 2,000 hives and in 100,000 homes.

During the past ten years, \$2,262,055.32 has been paid into the homes of the beneficiaries, in sums of \$250, \$500, \$1,000 and \$2,000.

On October 1 the homes and business houses of the members will fly the colors of the order, and at 8 o'clock p. m. the hives will hold simultaneous meetings in their lodge rooms, to carry out a specially prepared program appropriate to the occasion, making it in every respect a jubilee celebration.

#### POSTAL STATISTICS.

The number of pieces of matter of all kinds mailed increased from 500,000 in 1790 to 7,424,330,379 in 1901.

The first year's issue of postal cards, 1873, numbered 31,094,000, while in 1901 659,614,800 were issued.

In 1865 money orders to the amount of \$1,360,122 were issued, while in 1901 the total amounted to \$274,546,067.

In 1853, the year in which stamped envelopes were first issued, 5,000,000 were used, while in 1901 the total was 1,284,900,000.

The registry system was started in 1855, and in that year the registered pieces numbered 629,322. In 1901 they numbered 20,814,501.

From June 30, 1847, to June 30, 1851, 4,993,200 postage stamps were issued, while in the single year 1901 4,329,273,696 stamps were used by the people of the United States.

In 1789 there were only seventy-five postoffices established, the length of the post routes being 2,275 miles and the gross revenue of the department being only \$7,510. The expenditures were \$7,560.

There were in 1901 74,594 postoffices in operation, 511,808 miles of post routes, 466,146,059 miles of mail service performed. The gross revenues of the department were \$111,631,193, the expenditures \$115,600,560.

#### SHOULD BE RE-ELECTED.

The McKinley County Republican says: "Hon. B. S. Rodey, our present del-

egate to congress, will no doubt receive the nomination at Raton on the 10th of next month. Mr. Rodey deserves a re-election at the hands of the republican party for magnificent services which he has rendered to the party and to the territory during the past two years. He did a great deal of hard work and aided materially in the passing of the laws now in effect for the benefit of the miners, and the same is true of the irrigation bill passed last winter. The west will receive the benefit of the \$5,000,000 appropriated for reservoirs by means of which thousands of emigrants will be provided with homes. To the intelligent and persistent efforts of Mr. Rodey is due in a great measure the assurance that statehood will be given us this winter. None but capable and honest men have ever received a recommendation for office from Mr. Rodey. He has assisted hundreds of citizens of the territory in bringing to a successful issue matters of business which had been pending for years. He has greatly benefited the territory in settling the matter of the taxation of the property of railroad companies. No man, however poor or obscure, has ever applied to him for assistance but what it has been given freely and promptly. Through his efforts New Mexico has become known to the people of the United States for the first time in its history."

#### IMMENSE CHURCH FUND.

When it was stated some time ago that the Methodist Episcopal church proposed to raise \$20,000,000 as a new century thank offering many persons regarded the proposal as impractical. However it will soon be an accomplished fact. Of the \$20,000,000 proposed all but \$3,000,000 has been subscribed, and the remainder may be considered in sight.

This large sum is to be devoted to freeing churches from debt and for educational work. With this vast sum at its disposal Methodism should receive a great impulse.

The September number of the Church Economist says:

The Methodists of Canada set their figure at \$1,000,000, and they have raised \$250,000 more than that, and the Presbyterians of Canada put their mark also at \$1,000,000, and have already obtained \$1,430,000, with a probability that they will receive \$1,500,000 more. The English Methodists have raised \$4,500,000; the English Congregationalists, who sought \$2,000,000, have secured \$3,212,000; the English Baptists, who put their figure at \$1,250,000, have already received \$1,000,000, and the Congregationalists of Wales, who set out to secure \$100,000 in five years, have received \$850,000 in three years.

The Economist reckons that the churches have secured \$20,000,000 of the \$40,000,000 proposed, and that the movement in all its branches is providing an unexpected and overwhelming success. Doubtless the entire sum proposed will be secured.

The raising of these sums does not interfere with the usual church contributions, but is entirely separate from them. The money comes also not from syndicates of rich men, but from individual contributors. Certainly there is a lesson in these figures for those who doubt the efficiency of the churches.

#### You Know What You Are Taking.

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic, because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure; no pay; 50c.

#### Contested Democratic Delegation.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 29.—Prior to assembling of the democratic state convention today the state committee decided that the delegation from the Ninth assembly district of New York City, headed by Frank J. Goodwin, should be placed on the temporary roll, while the delegates led by former Chief of Police W. S. Devery, were mentioned as contestants.

#### EDITO. NOTES.

It is easier to complain than it is to make us.

The republican Grant county are today holding a attended convention at Silver C.

There will be nothing going on in this town avenue in the week during the territorial fair.

Pennsylvania troops are not obliged to go from home to get the benefit of never practice. The strike is keep them reasonably busy.

The Las Vegas is working the "don" had to nauseating point. There are no no New Mexico. The rule of Spain of here in 1821, and the done draped at that time.

The symbolical of "s. s." in connection with y all legal documents and admeasurements is derived from the Latinque suos salutans—i. e. greeting addressing its own, these within jecton.

Some people seem to believe in anything they cansee. Yet according to a census lin just issued the value of nature consumed in the United States 901 was \$27,067,500, which, at 15 coer 1,000 cubic feet, is equivalent 80,450,000,000 cubic feet.

All the territorial governors have met with stroposition from members of their party at Santa Fe. There are noough offices at the disposal of thernor to satisfy all the applicants, there are many disappointed, whome sore and sour, and then an sized movement is made against governor. This has occurred aganvery Nex Mexico governor, repant and democrat, since 1850.

The United States bureau of statistics has just a monograph of the submarine land telegraphs of the world whowhats that there are 1,750 subamar telegraph lines in operation. Tt are nearly 200,000 miles in length cost \$275,000,000. The total length of the land lines is 1,380,000 mifrepresenting 3,800,000 miles of single. Over 6,000,000 messages arel annually over the submarine cabnd about 400,000,000 over the land s.

Uncle Sam ying a lot of his blis before they ade, but not many of the rest of us doing so.

As to the da of infection through the gatheringgrege numbers of consumptives in en locality, that is a question uposich lectors still divide.

The increas the assessment of taxable propo of the territory for the present yis in round numbers \$2,300,000 ovat given in the year 1901.

Shall a mar and then live again? This problem the ages has at last been solved jva, or else Uncle Rod Botes is mign in his self-impression.

"Are Mettis Cold?" asks the Chicago Circle. Well, if they are not they jakes will be this winter. Coal pries jake same to them as to other ope.

"Is justice blame the late Brigham Young severely for the crime ofas Ne York grandson. The great Moon is 357 other grandsons who arenoes.

After the national predictions to the ntrar the platform of the New Ya repdicans was strictly in line w the epulicanism of the countrin appying the policies of the adustrian.

The census bean reports that during thdecade between 1890 and 1900 the ec of African locomotives increase 19.2 percent. The difference is duos the treased weight of the engine whiche growing traffic of the entry foreforced the railroad compaes to aot.

The United Sses has entered on a careers a nay power. The policy of thegoverment has evidently become xed to jke a naval demonstration in the ters of any country whereAmericaneerests may be at stake. It is in ord with this policy that the assenling of a West Indian fleet jnow in gross.

In St Lake tedict has gone forth that female schteachers who marry must esign. Treason given by the board of educat for this ruling is that a marriedman's first duty is to he home husband, and they felt that she cannot devote the time and interest to pupils under those conditions that teneed demanded.

Any alien of age of twenty-one years and upwawho has been in the armies of the Led States, and has been honorably charged therefrom, may become a gen of the United States on his glon, without any previous declarn of intention, provided that he hasided in the United States at least oear previous to his application, and if good moral character.

President Dianannual message of this year, transmed to the Mexican congress on thest inst., expresses for the first timean official form as to the wisdom of jering to the silver standard. Herefore, all statements emanating fromlocal sources have indicated a fixedpase to make no change in the actary standard of the republic.

The terms of rty United States senators expire darch 3 next. It is natural that modterest should be felt in the probatoutcome of consequent senatorial jectons.

New York addio more sickening tragedies to its wdy gruesome horrors of the past w. New York ever now and then, as the case of a silver campaign or a dand for irrigation, sneers at the w and calls it a "place of semi-barbarous"; but for bloody horrors, fearful acedies, diamond-embowered human bod, foul crimes that

would make cannibals turn pale, New York is the place.

There is an increased attendance at the territorial university.

When you feel that you are doing right others think so too.

Wherever there is a political boss there is also another to oppose him.

Raton is destined to become a prominent railroad center in the near future. Over 300 new dwellings have been erected in this city in the past two years.

There are 3,000 words which are used alike in French and English without change in spelling.

The twenty-second annual territorial fair will be the very best exhibition ever held in the Rocky Mountain region.

"About all you can do with people who hate you," says the Acheson Globe, "is to conclude they have had taste."

If General Funston mixes in the location of the military post in this territory he will realize that in comparison his swimming of a Philippine river under fire was a pleasant picnic diversion.

#### REV. T. C. BEATTIE.

Has Resigned as Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church.

The members of the congregation of the Presbyterian church were very much surprised and disappointed when at the morning service yesterday, the pastor, Rev. T. C. Beattie, tendered his resignation to take effect not later than the last of next June. The cause of Rev. Beattie's resignation is on account of poor health of Mrs. Beattie. Mr. Beattie has been the popular pastor of the Presbyterian church of Albuquerque for the past twelve years. He has watched its growth from a mission church to its present large membership, the largest in its history. The church was one of the first in New Mexico to become entirely self-supporting. During his residence here he has been instrumental in a great many improvements for the moral and spiritual uplifting of the community. Mr. Beattie owns a beautiful home in Albuquerque. Albuquerque friends deeply regret the departure of the gentleman and his wife, but wish them the greatest success wherever they may go.

#### Look out for Fever.

Biliousness and liver disorders at this season may be prevented by cleansing the system with De Witt's Little Early Risers. These famous little pills do not gripe. They move the bowels gently, but copiously, and by reason of the tonic properties, give tone and strength to the glands. B. H. Briggs & Co.—J. H. O'Reilly & Co.

#### POLICE COURT.

Business in police court was of a quiet nature this morning, nothing of importance being brought up before the judge.

Officer Cooper arrested John Howard on the charge of vagrancy. He was given ten days on the streets cleaning up for fair.

Wm. Glenson, a species of the common hobo, was run in by Officer Knapp charged with vagrancy. With the promise that he would leave the city as soon as he can get out he was discharged.

Charles Lane was before the judge this morning charged with disturbing the peace. However, as there was no case against him he was discharged with a notice to "be good."

When you wake up with a bad taste in your mouth, go at once to a druggist and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One or two doses will make you well. They also cure biliousness, sick headache and constipation.

#### Grand Lodge of Masons.

The Masonic grand lodge will meet in Santa Fe on October 20. A. E. Keen, the grand secretary, has secured reduced rates for those who will attend. The fare will be one and one-fifth, that is, the delegates will pay full fare coming and will secure a one-fifth rate on returning.

#### Killed by a Rock.

Victor Trujillo, a laborer on the new toll road at the Rio Grande, northwest of the territorial capital, was killed yesterday morning by a rock falling upon him and crushing his skull. A strong blast sent several big rocks in to the alt and one of these struck him in the chest.

Get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets at all druggists. They are easier to take and more pleasant in effect than pills. Then their use is not followed by constipation as is often the case with pills. Regular size, 35c per box at all druggists.

#### Old Abe Running.

The deal for the purchase of the Old Abe mine necessitated the suspension of operations on that property, pending the negotiations and therefore the entire force was thrown out of employment. As this great mine had been, for years, the main stay of the camp the closing of the work, although for only a short period, produced a marked influence on the business of the community. Work was suspended only for the purpose of taking the necessary inventory of the property and making the few repairs thought advisable by the new management.

Last Saturday work in the mine was resumed and Monday the mill began to crush the ore laden with its precious yellow metal and the accustomed sound of the whistle now again echoes through the surrounding canyons and cheers the denizens of the camp with its more than welcome music.—White Oaks Eagle.

# CATARRH

The treatment of Catarrh with antiseptic and astringent washes, lotions, salves, medicated tobacco and cigarettes or any external or local application, is just as senseless as would be kindling a fire on top of the pot to make it boil. True, these give temporary relief, but the cavities and passages of the head and the bronchial tubes soon fill up again with mucus.

TAKING COLD is the first step towards Catarrh, for it checks perspiration, and the poisonous acids and vapors which should pass off through the skin, are thrown back upon the mucous membrane or inner skin, producing inflammation and excessive flow of mucus, much of which is absorbed into the blood, and through the circulation reaches every part of the system, involving the Stomach, Kidneys and other parts of the body. When the disease assumes the dry form, the breath becomes exceedingly foul, blinding headaches are frequent, the eyes red, hearing affected and a constant ringing in the ears. No remedy that does not reach the polluted blood can cure Catarrh. S. S. S. expels from the circulation all offensive matter, and when rich, pure blood is again coursing through the body the mucous membranes become healthy and the skin active, all the disagreeable, painful symptoms disappear, and a permanent, thorough cure is effected. S. S. S. being a strictly vegetable blood purifier does not derange the Stomach and digestion, but the appetite and general health rapidly improve under its tonic effects. Write us about your case and get the best medical advice free. Book on blood and skin diseases sent on application.

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#### TERRITORIAL FAIR.

Bill Car for the Big Show flashes Silver City and the Town is Pleasantly Pictured With Picnards.

The bill car for the Territorial fair to be held in Albuquerque October 14 to 18, arrived in Silver City on Saturday, minus the presiding genius, Scott Knight, who was called back to Albuquerque on important business. However, his trusty lieutenants let no grass grow under their feet and the city is buried beneath an avalanche of territorial fair "literature."

Wyoming and Colorado have had roping contests during the last month that showed some good work, but the directors of the fair are planning to have something in this line that will lay over anything of the sort that has been seen this year, and show the cowmen of the northern ranges that when it comes to fine work the southwest walks at the head of the procession. A lot of those fellows are coming down to take a hand in the game, but they will find this exercise this time somewhat different from roping a lot of old cows. The animals to be handled at Albuquerque are going to be real steers, and the kind that won't stand and wait for the rope to be put over their heads, and the fellows that come here from the northern ranges expecting to teach the New Mexico boys the business will get some points to take home with them.

The fair this year, beginning on the 14th day of October and continuing through the week, is going to be the best show we ever had in the territory and Silver City ought to go up in force. The roping contest will be only one of more than a score of good features that will furnish continuous entertainment throughout the week. There will be something all the time.

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Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on the box; 25c.

#### Card of Thanks.

I wish to express my heartfelt thanks to the many friends who so kindly assisted us during the last illness of my daughter, Annie. This kindness and sympathy has been a great comfort and shall never be forgotten. MRS. ELIZA TOLAN.

#### IN ALBUQUERQUE.

Every Claim is Backed by Local Testimony. If the reader wants stronger proof than the following statement and experience of a resident of Albuquerque what can it be?

J. A. Skinner, dealer in staple and fancy groceries, 205 West Railroad avenue, says: "When a man finds from observation and experience that an article extensively advertised does not do as it is promised, it is his duty to prevent his fellowmen from squandering probably hard earned wealth in its purchase. It is just as much the duty of a citizen to tell his friends and acquaintances about articles upon which they can absolutely depend. Some time ago there came to my notice a case of a child whose control over the kidney secretions was limited. The parents procured for it Doan's Kidney Pills at the Alvarado Pharmacy and the treatment according to directions for children was commenced. In addition to the limited control there was considerable backache, the complications fully proving that in some way the kidneys were either weakened or over-excited. The treatment of Doan's Kidney Pills so strengthened, washed and purified the kidneys that the annoyance ceased."

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#### Santa Fe Court.

Suit Against City of Santa Fe—The Romero Murder Case. A suit has been filed in the district court for Santa Fe county by Ricardo Alarid vs. the City of Santa Fe. The plaintiff asks judgment in the sum of \$483.35, with interest and costs, which he claims is due for services rendered by him as city marshal and on city warrants made payable to others and assigned to him.

In the case of Luis Romero charged with the murder of Alexander Seba, called in the district court Thursday, a number of witnesses were heard for the prosecution. Yesterday forenoon one of the jurors was taken sick, and some time was lost on that account. Yesterday afternoon the wife of the accused man was on the witness stand, it being out of jealousy of her that Romero killed Seba. It is believed that the case will go to the jury today.

#### ALL NEW SPECIALTIES.

In the announcement of the appearance of the Tramp play which will appear at Colombo hall Thursday night, Manager O. A. Matson can congratulate himself on securing so good an attraction so late in the season. The company will produce the four-act sensational comedy entitled, "A Chicago Tramp." A large number of clever people appear in this production and

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